

[54] INTRAOCULAR LENS AND METHOD OF PREPARING THE SAME FOR INSERTION INTO A HUMAN EYE

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[57] ABSTRACT

A posterior chamber intraocular lens having position-fixation legs extending from the lens body and having a suture loosely engaging one of the legs and extending through an aperture in the lens body. Prior to insertion of the lens into a human eye, the surgeon tightens the suture to deform said position-fixation leg to a position adjacent the lens body to facilitate passing that position-fixation leg through the pupil and by the iris for seating in the cul-de-sac between the anterior and posterior capsules after the other position-fixation leg is seated in such cul-de-sac.

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